#### Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

Public Agenda 3297 Thursday, July 12, 2012 9:00 a.m. San Francisco, California

**Commissioners** 

Michael R. Peevey, President Mark J. Ferron Michel Peter Florio Catherine J.K. Sandoval Timothy Alan Simon

For each agenda item, a summary of the proposed action is included; the Commission's decision may, however, differ from that proposed.

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- · All items on the closed session agenda.
- · 4, 6, 21, 22

#### **Public Comment:**

#### **Consent Agenda**

Items shown on the Consent Agenda will be taken up and voted on as a group in one of the first items of business of each Commission meeting. Items may be removed from the Consent Agenda for discussion on the Regular Agenda at the request of any Commissioner prior to the meeting.

**Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions** 

Item Preliminary Categorizations and Hearing Determinations for
 Recently Filed Formal Applications

Res ALJ 176-3297

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Ratification of preliminary determination of category for proceedings initiated by application. The Preliminary determinations are pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC ID=584250

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Modifies the Public Utilities Code Section 851 Pilot Program
 Established in Resolution ALJ-186

Res ALJ-268

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Adopts General Order \_\_\_\_\_, which makes the Public Utilities Code Section 851 Pilot Program established in Resolution ALJ-186, as modified by Resolutions ALJ-202 and ALJ-248, permanent and makes minor, technical changes to the Section 851 Pilot Program Regulations for the purposes of clarity and renumbering.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584288

Pub. Util. Code § 311 - This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Agenda 3295, Item 12 6/7/2012 (Staff);

Agenda 3296, Item 6 6/21/2012 (Simon)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Modifications to the California Lifeline Program Rules in Compliance With Federal Communications Commission's

[11356] Lifeline and Link Up Reform Order

Res T-17366

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® The California Public Utilities Commission will modify a number of California Lifeline rules and procedures – set forth in General Order 153 to comply with the recently-adopted Federal Communications Commission Lifeline Reform Order.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=585188

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Agenda 3296, Item 13 6/21/2012 (Simon)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

#### Item Dismissal of Case 11-03-020

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[11379]

#### C11-03-020

Wendy Wood and Robert F. Spohr vs. Tahoe Park Water Company.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Dismisses the Complaint as the Commission is an improper forum.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Ferron - ALJ Colbert)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=582947

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Adjudicatory.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

## Item Karuk Tribe for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

[11398]

#### A12-02-018

Application of Karuk Tribe for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity in order to Provide Limited Facilities-Based and Resold Competitive Local Exchange, Access, and Interexchange Service in the State of California.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Grants Karuk Tribe a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity in order to provide resold limited-facilities based local exchange service and non-dominant interexchange service in California.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Clark)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584041

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3296, Item 35 6/21/2012 (Sandoval)

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

#### Item Dismissal of Case 12-01-010

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[11400]

#### C12-01-010

BudSco Chemical Enterprises, Inc. vs. Robert T. Adcock, Patricia Adcock, Alisal Water Corporation dba Alco Water Service.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Dismisses BudSco Chemical Enterprises, Inc.'s complaint against Robert T. Adcock, Patricia Adcock, and Alisal Water Corporation, dba Alco Water Service.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Mason)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584743

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Adjudicatory.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Southern California Gas Company's Additional Tool

7 Allowing the System Operator to Move Supply From Blythe

[11401] to Otay Mesa, California

Res G-3474, Advice Letter 4353 Filed on March 30, 2012 - Related matters.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves the request subject to modification.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Unknown.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584841

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

## Item Golden State Water Company dba Bear Valley Electric 8 Services Purchase and Sale Agreement

[11402]

Res E-4507, Advice Letter 258-E filed on November 23, 2011 - Related matters.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves Golden State Water Company's purchase and sale agreement for renewable energy credits with County Sanitation District No. 2 of Los Angeles.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Costs of the purchase and sale agreements are confidential at this time.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584942

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Erskine Creek Water Company, Inc.'s General Rate Increase to Produce Additional Annual Revenue for Test Years 2012

[11403] and **2013** 

Res W-4924, Advice Letter 80-W filed on February 8, 2012 - Related matters.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® To file a supplemental advice letter with revised rate schedules.
- ® Adopts the quantities used to develop the recommendations.
- ® To file a Tier 2 advice letter by November 20, 2012 and for Escalation Year 2013 with the rates being effective on January 1, 2013.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® \$182,930.

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Item San Diego Gas & Electric Company to Establish a new Demand Bidding Program for the Summer of 2012 to December 31, 2012

Res E-4511, Advice Letter 2370-E filed on June 1, 2012 - Related matters.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves San Diego Gas and Electric Company's (SDG&E) proposed new Schedule Demand Bidding Program (DBP) for the summer 2012 and SDG&E's request to shift funds from its 2012-2014 Base Interruptible Program (BIP) budget, consistent with fund shifting rules adopted in Decision 12-04-045.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- ® No new funding.
- ® Approximately \$1.8 million to be shifted from SDG&E's existing BIP to fund SDG&E's proposed DBP.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC ID=584840

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item San Diego Gas & Electric Company's 2012 Energy Resource
Recovery Account Revenue Requirement and Competitive
Transition Charge Revenue Requirement Forecasts

A11-09-022

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Adopts San Diego Gas & Electric Company's 2012 forecasted revenue requirements for Electric Resource Recovery Account (ERRA) and Ongoing Competition Transition Charge (CTC), and market benchmark prices for the calculation of the Ongoing CTC and Power Charge Indifference Adjustment.

® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- ® Forecast ERRA \$815.499 million (\$60.086 million higher than the 2011 forecast).
- ® CTC \$55.162 million (\$8.193 million lower than the 2011 forecast).
- ® Combined revenue requirement results in an increase in electric rates of \$51.893 million.

(Comr Florio - ALJ Roscow)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=585078

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item California American Water Company to Implement a
Surcharge to Recover a Portion of the Balance in the Water

[11407] Contamination Litigation Memorandum Account

Res W-4925

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Approves the tariff sheets filed with Advice Letter 905 and attached to this Resolution.
- ® Authorizes California American Water Company (Cal Am) to transfer \$1,146,053.61 from its Water Contamination Litigation Memo Account to a balancing account for recovery over a period of twelve months.
- ® Authorizes Cal Am to earn interest on the balance in this balancing account, at the 90-day commercial paper rate, from the effective date of this Resolution.
- ® Orders Cal Am to provide evidence of insurance against lawsuits including contamination lawsuits, documentation from its insurance company of the amount of all proceeds to offset these litigation costs, and documentation that Cal Am only booked costs in the account associated with water contamination lawsuits filed against the utility when it files for recovery of future balances in the Water Contamination Litigation Memorandum Account.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® \$1,146,053.61.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584989

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

## Item Southern California Edison Company's Application of its Forecast 2012 Energy Resource Recovery Account

[11408]

#### A11-08-002

Application of Southern California Edison Company for Approval of its Forecast 2012 ERRA Proceeding Revenue Requirement.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Approves a revenue requirement increase of \$604.0 million, but a procurement rate decrease of 5.5%, from 5.4 cents per kilowatt hour (kWh) to 5.1 cents per kWh.
- ® Closes Application 11-08-002.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® \$604.0 million.

(Comr Florio - ALJ Roscow)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=585116

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Cost-of-Living Adjustment for Work Performed by

14 Intervenors in 2012

[11409]

Res ALJ-281

#### **PROPOSED OUTCOME:**

® Denies approval of the Cost-of-Living Adjustments for 2012 intervenor work, and continues the hourly rates and other matters established in Decision 08-04-010.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=582157

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

## Item Petition to Modify Decision 10-12-016

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[11410]

#### A04-09-019

In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct and Operate its Coastal Water Project to Resolve the Long-Term Water Supply Deficit in its Monterey District and to Recover All Present and Future Costs in Connection Therewith in Rates.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Decision Grants Motion to Withdraw Petition to Modify Decision 10-12-016.
- ® Closes the Proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Weatherford)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=585061

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Verizon California, Inc.'s Funding for the Grant from the California Advanced Services Fund

[11411]

Res T-17350

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves proposed resolution and fund for the California Advanced Services Fund Project amounting to \$329,040 for the Crowley Lake Underserved Broadband Project.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® \$329,040.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=583263

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Item
 17
 Purchase Agreement With Southern California Edison
 [11417]
 Company

Res E-4512, Advice Letter 2344-E filed on April 13, 2012 - Related matters.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Approves San Diego Gas & Electric Company's request for cost recovery of a short-term renewable energy power purchase agreement (PPA) with Southern California Edison Company.
- ® The PPA is approved without modification.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Costs of the contract are confidential at this time.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC ID=584945

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

# Item Southern California Edison Company's Renewable Energy Sales Contract With San Diego Gas & Electric Company

Res E-4515, Advice Letter 2717-E filed on April 17, 2012 - Related matters.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Approves Southern California Edison Company's request to enter into a renewable energy sales contract with San Diego Gas & Electric Company.
- ® The contract is approved without modification.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Costs of this contract are confidential at this time.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584071

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

## Item Settlement Agreement With the Commission's Division of Ratepayer Advocates

[11424]

A11-05-001, A11-05-002, A11-05-003, A11-05-004 - Related matters.

Application of California Water Service Company for Authority to Establish its Authorized Cost of Capital for the period from January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2014.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Approves settlement between Division of Ratepayer Advocates and four large Class A Water Companies.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Ferron - ALJ Bemesderfer)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=585162

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Conectado, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

[11429]

#### A12-02-019

In the Matter of the Application of Conectado, Inc., for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Resold Interexchange Telecommunications Services within California.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Grants a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for resold competitive interexchange services.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ McKinney)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584466

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

### Item Order Extending Statutory Deadline

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[11430]

#### C11-07-021

Infotelecom, LLC vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company, dba AT&T California.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Extends statutory deadline for this proceeding until July 24, 2013.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Bemesderfer)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584120

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Adjudicatory.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

## Item Order Extending Statutory Deadline

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[11431]

#### I11-05-028

Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Operations, Practices, and Conduct of OSP Communications LLC and John Vogel, an individual, to determine whether OSP Communications LLC and John Vogel have violated the Laws, Rules and Regulations of this State in the Provision of Operator and Calling Card Services to California Consumers; and Whether the Billing Resource LLC, a Delaware Corporation, and The Billing Resource LLC d/b/a Integretel, a California Corporation should Refund and Disgorge All monies billed and collected on behalf of OSP Communications LLC.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Extends statutory deadline for this proceeding until July 31, 2013.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

None.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Bemesderfer)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584129

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Adjudicatory.

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Kingstone Telecommunications, Inc.

[11433]

#### A11-09-003

Application of Kingstone Telecommunications, Inc. for Registration as an Interexchange Carrier Telephone Corporation Pursuant to the Provisions of Public Utilities Code Section 1013.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Grants a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Kingstone Telecommunications, Inc. to provide facilities-based and non-Dominant Interexchange Services in California.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Sandoval - ALJ Clark)

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

### Item Dismisses Expedited Complaint

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[11435]

#### (ECP) C11-09-019

James MacLean vs. AT&T Mobility Wireless Operations Holdings dba AT&T Mobility.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Dismisses complaint by James MacLean vs. AT&T Mobility Wireless Holdings.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Simon - ALJ Moldavsky)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC ID=584108

Consent Agenda - Orders and Resolutions (continued)

## Item Order Extending Statutory Deadline

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[11439]

#### A08-05-019

Application of California Water Service Company for an order confirming its discontinuance of the ESP program as provided in D.07-12-055, Ordering Paragraph 19, approving accounting for the residual affiliate transaction, and confirming under D.07-12-055, Ordering Paragraph 16 that Applicant's residual services to its affiliate CWS Utility Services comply with applicable law.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Extends the statutory deadline to September 26, 2012.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Florio - ALJ Walwyn)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=584004

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

#### **Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders**

Item Compensation to Black Economic Council, the Latino

26 Business Chamber of Greater Los Angeles, and the National

(Rev.) Asian American Coalition

[11173]

#### R09-07-027

Order Instituting Rulemaking for the Purpose of Reviewing and Potentially Amending General Order 156 and to Consider Other Measures to Promote Economic Efficiencies of an Expanded Supplier Base and to Examine the Composition of the Utilities' Workforce.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards Black Economic Council, the Latino Business Chamber of Greater Los Angeles, and the National Asian American Coalition compensation for substantial contribution to Decision 11-05-019.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® The California Public Utilities Commission's Intervenor Compensation Fund will pay \$318,361.75, plus interest.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Darling)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=585028

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Quasi-Legislative.

Agenda 3293, Item 26 5/10/2012 (Peevey);

Agenda 3294, Item 27 5/24/2012 (Staff);

Agenda 3295, Item 24 6/7/2012 (Staff)

07/10/2012 - This revision was not shown on the Agenda mailed to the public.

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders (continued)

Item Compensation to Sustainable Conservation

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(Rev.)

[11377]

R10-05-004

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards the Sustainable Conservation \$7,212.50 in substantial contribution for intervenor compensation for contributions to Decision 11-09-015.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, Southern California Gas Company and San Diego Gas & Electric Company will pay the awarded amount of \$7,212.50, plus interest.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Duda)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=582180

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

07/03/2012 - This revision was not shown on the Agenda mailed to the public.

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders (continued)

### Item Compensation to Consumer Federation of California

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[11399]

#### R09-08-009

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to consider alternative-fueled vehicle tariffs, infrastructure and policies to support California's greenhouse gas emissions reduction goals.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards Consumer Federation of California \$8,102.50 for substantial contribution to Decision 11-07-029.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® The ratepayers of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Southern California Gas Company, and Southern California Edison Company will pay \$8,102.50, plus interest.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ DeAngelis)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=E61604

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders (continued)

### Item Compensation to Disability Rights Advocates

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[11436]

**I07-01-022**, A06-09-006, A06-10-026, A06-11-009, A06-11-010, A07-03-019 - Related matters. Order Instituting Investigation to Consider Policies to Achieve the Commission's Conservation Objectives for Class A Water Utilities.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards Disability Rights Advocates \$14,390.00 for substantial contribution to Decision 11-05-004.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Golden State Water Company, California Water Service Company, Park Water Company, Suburban Water Systems, San Jose Water Company, Great Oaks Water Company, Valencia Water Company, San Gabriel Valley Water Company, and Apple Valley Ranchos Water Company will pay \$14,390.00 plus interest.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Mason)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=580777

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders (continued)

## Item Compensation to The Utility Reform Network

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[11437]

**107-01-022**, A06-09-006, A06-10-026, A06-11-009, A06-11-010, A07-03-019 - Related matters. Order Instituting Investigation to Consider Policies to Achieve the Commission's Conservation Objectives for Class A Water Utilities.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards The Utility Reform Network \$46,288.07 for substantial contribution to Decision 11-05-004.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Golden State Water Company, California Water Service Company, Park Water Company, Suburban Water Systems, San Jose Water Company, Great Oaks Water Company, Valencia Water Company, San Gabriel Valley Water Company, and Apple Valley Ranchos Water Company will pay \$46,288.07 plus interest.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Mason)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=580743

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders (continued)

## Item Compensation to The Utility Reform Network

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[11440]

#### A10-07-017

Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company to Amend Renewable Energy Power Purchase Agreement with NaturEner Rim Rock Wind Energy, LLC and for Authority to Make a Tax Equity Investment in the Project.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards The Utility Reform Network \$196,380 for substantial contribution to Decision 11-07-002.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® San Diego Gas & Electric Company will pay \$196,380, plus interest.

(Comr Ferron - ALJ Vieth)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=583658

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Consent Agenda - Intervenor Compensation Orders (continued)

### Item Compensation to Consumer Federation of California

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[11442]

#### R08-12-009

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Consider Smart Grid Technologies Pursuant to Federal Legislation and on the Commission's own Motion to Actively Guide Policy in California's Development of a Smart Grid System.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Awards Consumer Federation of California \$50,567.13 in intervenor compensation for substantial contribution to Decision 11-07-056.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, and San Diego Gas & Electric Company will pay \$50,567.13, plus interest.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Sullivan)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=583752

#### Regular Agenda

#### Regular Agenda - Energy Orders

Sacramento Natural Gas Storage, LLC for a Certificate of
Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct and Operate

[11149] a Gas Storage Facility

#### A07-04-013

Application by Sacramento Natural Gas Storage, LLC, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Construction and Operation of Natural Gas Storage Facilities and Requests for Related Determinations.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Grants Applicant's request for a certificate of public convenience and necessity (CPCN) to construct and operate the Sacramento Natural Gas Storage Facility (Proposed Project) to provide natural gas storage services at market based rates, and certifies the environmental impact report (EIR) for the Proposed Project.
- ® The EIR identifies significant environmental impacts that can not be mitigated to less than significant levels.
- ® Finds that the Proposed Project's benefits justify its approval despite its unavoidable environmental effects, and conditions the CPCN on the mitigation measures set forth in the EIR and other requirements established pursuant to recently-enacted legislation.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- ® \$57 million, however, Sacramento Natural Gas Storage, LLC will be an independent storage provider that must bear the entire financial risk of the Proposed Project.
- ® Ratepayers are not at risk if demand for the Proposed Project's gas storage services does not materialize.

(Comr Simon - ALJ Smith)

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Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3292, Item 62 4/19/2012 (Florio);

Agenda 3294, Item 31 5/24/2012 (Pub. Util. Code §311(e));

Agenda 3295, Item 30 6/7/2012 (Simon);

Agenda 3296, Item 38 6/21/2012 (Ferron)

Regular Agenda - Energy Orders (continued)

**ALTERNATE TO ITEM 11149** 

Item 33a

[11150]

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® This alternate proposed decision (APD) differs from the proposed decision (PD) in that:
- ® Additional insurance coverage is required. Sacramento Natural Gas Storage (SNGS) must obtain and maintain a general liability insurance policy with a minimum policy limit of \$4.0 million and minimum umbrella coverage of \$100.0 million (the PD requires \$2.0 million/\$50.0 million).
- ® A surety bond is required in the amount of \$30 million.
- ® SNGS must contribute 0.25 percent of the Proposed Project's annual gross revenues (estimated to range from \$25,000 to \$44,000 or more per year) to a community foundation to support community projects and activities that will benefit the entire neighborhood.
- ® SNGS is encouraged to contribute at least 0.1 percent of the Proposed Project's annual gross revenues to local charitable and non profit organizations.
- ® SNGS is encouraged to annually contribute \$50,000/year, or an amount to be agreed upon between SNGS and the City, for the exclusive benefit of Danny Nunn Park facilities and programs, in addition to any dedication of storage lease income the City may make to maintain and improve the Park.
- ® SNGS is encouraged to establish a scholarship fund to award a single four-year engineering scholarship for, at a minimum, \$6000/year to cover the cost of tuition and fees for a student attending the California State University Sacramento, and a single four-year engineering scholarship for, at a minimum, \$6000/year to cover the cost of tuition and fees for a student attending the University of California. Davis.
- ® SNGS is encouraged to commit itself to diversity, consistent with General Order 156, by actively recruiting minorities, women, and disabled veterans.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- ® \$57 million, however, SNGS will be an independent storage provider that must bear the entire financial risk of the Proposed Project.
- ® Ratepayers are not at risk if demand for the Proposed Project's gas storage services does not materialize.

(Comr Simon)

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Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Agenda 3292, Item 62a 4/19/2012 (Florio);

Agenda 3294, Item 31a 5/24/2012 (Pub. Util. Code §311(e));

Agenda 3295, Item 30a 6/7/2012 (Simon);

Agenda 3296, Item 38a 6/21/2012 (Ferron)

Regular Agenda - Energy Orders (continued)

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[11308]

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Denies the Applicant's request for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct and operate the Sacramento Natural Gas Storage Facility to provide natural gas storage services at market based rates.
- ® Certifies the environmental impact report for the Proposed Project.
- ® Finds that the safety risks outweigh the benefits of the Proposed Project.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® None.

(Comr Florio)

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Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3294, Item 31b 5/24/2012 (Pub. Util. Code §311(e));

Agenda 3295, Item 30b 6/7/2012 (Simon);

Agenda 3296, Item 38b 6/21/2012 (Ferron)

Regular Agenda - Energy Orders (continued)

Large Investor-Owned Utilities' Applications for Energy
 Savings Assistance and California Alternate Rates for
 Energy Programs and Budgets for Program Cycle 2012-2014

**A11-05-017**, A11-05-018, A11-05-019, A11-05-020 - Related matters.

Application of Southern California Edison Company for Approval of its 2012-2014 California Alternate Rates for Energy and Energy Savings Assistance Programs and Budgets.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves Energy Savings Assistance and California Alternate Rates for Energy Programs and budgets for program cycle 2012-2014 and sets the stage for the second phase of the consolidated proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® \$5 billion.

(Comr Simon - ALJ Kim)

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC ID=583402

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3295, Item 33 6/7/2012 (Florio)

#### Regular Agenda - Energy Resolutions and Written Reports

Item Southern California Gas Company's Memorandum in Lieu of Contract Between the Utility System Operator and the Gas

[11404] Acquisition Department

Res G-3468, Advice Letter 4291 filed on November 3, 2011 - Related matters.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

® Approves with modifications the request of a Memorandum in Lieu of Contract Between the Utility System Operator and the Gas Acquisition Department for Services to Maintain Southern System Reliability Pursuant to Decision 07-12-019.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® Unknown.

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC\_ID=585164

Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

#### **Regular Agenda - Communication Orders**

#### Item Revisions to Basic Telephone Service

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[10844]

#### R09-06-019

Order Instituting Rulemaking Regarding Revisions to the California High Cost Fund B Program.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Adopts an updated definition of basic telecommunications service offered by any carriers of last resort.
- ® The revised definition is designed to:
- ® Consolidate and streamline existing listings of service elements.
- ® Apply technology-neutral terminology and definitions.
- ® Avoid degrading standards necessary to meet essential universal service needs.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® No specific cost changes anticipated in basic rates.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Pulsifer)

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Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Quasi-Legislative.

Agenda 3286, Item 52 12/15/2011 (Staff);

Agenda 3287, Item 62 1/12/2012 (Peevey);

Agenda 3288, Item 29 2/1/2012 (Peevey);

Agenda 3290, Item 41 3/8/2012 (Ferron);

Agenda 3292, Item 68 4/19/2012 (Florio);

Agenda 3294, Item 38 5/24/2012 (Sandoval);

Agenda 3296, Item 43 6/21/2012 (Florio)

#### Regular Agenda - Water/Sewer Orders

## Item Southern California Edison Company's Catalina Water Company Seeks to Increase Rates by 80%

[11279]

#### A10-11-009

Application of Southern California Edison Company for Authority to, Among Other Things, Increase Its Authorized Revenues for Santa Catalina Island Water Operations, and to Reflect that Increase in Rates.

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- ® Disallows approximately \$1 million of operating expenses; approximately \$8 million in rate base; and by adopting Southern California Edison Company's alternate rate proposal, shifts \$10.7 million of the water company's increased costs as a one-time cost to electric rates.
- ® The result of our disallowances and adjustments makes no change in the current revenue requirement of \$3.948 million.
- ® Closes the proceeding.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

® \$10.7 million.

(Comr Peevey - ALJ Barnett)

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Pub. Util. Code § 311 – This item was mailed for Public Comment.

Pub. Util. Code §1701.1 -- This proceeding is categorized as Ratesetting.

Agenda 3294, Item 41 5/24/2012 (Sandoval);

Agenda 3296, Item 45 6/21/2012 (Sandoval)

# **Regular Agenda - Legal Division Matters**

#### **Regular Agenda - Legislative and Other Matters**

Item Charter-Party Carriers of Passengers: Reports 38
[11425]

**AB 838 (Hill)** 

This bill would state that a Charter Party Carrier's waybill or trip report may be kept in electronic or hardcopy format and when requested by a public safety official, the waybill or trip report may be provided in either electronic or hardcopy format. (Legislative Subcommittee Recommendation:

\_\_\_\_).

Item Public Utilities Commission: Public Records 39 (Rev.)
[11426]

#### AB 1541 (Dickinson)

This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission to comply with the intent of Consumer Public Records Act, that the public be guaranteed access to government documents, unless the information meets specified criteria, such as endangering the public by its release. (Legislative Subcommittee Recommendation: Oppose unless amended).

http://docs.cpuc.ca.gov/Cyberdocs/AgendaDoc.asp?DOC ID=584918

07/09/2012 - This revision was not shown on the Agenda mailed to the public.

Item Electricity: Rates
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[11375]

#### **AB 1755 (Perea)**

This bill would authorize the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to approve a fixed per-customer electricity charge not based upon usage that applies to all customers of an electrical corporation, including California Alternatives Rates for Energy program participants, to recover fixed costs of providing service, if the CPUC finds that such a charge is just and reasonable and is necessary to provide rate relief to upper tier residential customers of the electrical corporation. (Legislative Subcommittee Recommendation: \_\_\_\_\_\_).

Agenda 3296, Item 50 6/21/2012 (Staff)

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Regular Agenda - Legislative and Other Matters (continued)

## Item Renewable Energy Resources: Biomethane

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[11115]

#### **AB 1900 (Gatto)**

This bill would require the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to develop reasonable, prudent, and minimally restrictive testing protocols for gas collected from a solid waste landfill that is to be injected into a common carrier pipeline to determine if the gas contains chemicals known to the state to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity and would require a gas corporation to accept biomethane into its pipeline, provided the biomethane meets the heating and purity requirements established by the CPUC. (Legislative Subcommittee Recommendation: Oppose unless amended).

Agenda 3291, Item 59 3/22/2012 (Staff); Agenda 3292, Item 76 4/19/2012 (Staff); Agenda 3293, Item 37 5/10/2012 (Staff); Agenda 3294, Item 43 5/24/2012 (Staff); Agenda 3295, Item 38 6/7/2012 (Staff); Agenda 3296, Item 51 6/21/2012 (Staff)

Item Electricity: Biomass: Incentive Programs

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[11427]

#### AB 2390 (Chesbro)

This bill requires the California Energy Commission to provide incentives to producers and collectors of biomass material associated with forest fuel reduction and fire activities. (Legislative Subcommittee Recommendation: \_\_\_\_\_).

Item Energy: Electrical Corporations: City of Davis PVUSA Solar

43 Facility: Community-Based Renewable Energy

[11303] Self-Generation Program

### **SB 843 (Wolk)**

This bill would authorize a retail customer of an electrical corporation to acquire an interest in a community renewable energy facility for the purpose of receiving a bill credit to offset all or a portion of the participant's electricity usage, consistent with specified requirements. (Legislative Subcommittee Recommendation: Oppose).

Agenda 3294, Item 50 5/24/2012 (Staff);

Agenda 3295, Item 44 6/7/2012 (Staff);

Agenda 3296, Item 54 6/21/2012 (Staff)

Regular Agenda - Legislative and Other Matters (continued)

Item	Energy: Renewable Biomass and Biogas Projects
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[11394]	
SB 1122 (R	ubio)
2014, that a global warm (Legislative	ald require the California Public Utilities Commission to adopt a methodology, by June 1, ccounts for the benefits to ratepayers and the environment from reducing air pollution and ing emissions by generating electricity from specified sources of biogas and biomass. Subcommittee Recommendation:).  16. Item 55 6/21/2012 (Staff)
Item 45	Energy: Energy Assessment: Commercial Buildings: Financing
[11428]	
SB 1130 (de	e León)
evaluate sta	uires the California Energy Commission, on or before January 1, 2016, to analyze and indards for commercial energy building retrofits previously developed by various national and I organizations to provide uniformity and transparency for financial institutions evaluating loar or energy improvements to commercial properties. (Legislative Subcommittee dation:).

# **Regular Agenda - Commissioner Reports**

## **Regular Agenda - Management Reports and Resolutions**

Item Report and Discussion by Consumer Protection and Safety
46 Division on Recent Safety Program Activities

[11412]

#### **Closed Session**

This notice is furnished under Government Code Sections 11125 and 11126.3. The Commission will meet in Closed Session following the Public Session of its regularly scheduled meeting. In the Closed Session, the Commission may consider personnel matters as provided under Government Code Section 11126(a), institution of proceedings or disciplinary actions against any person or entity under the jurisdiction of the Commission as provided under Government Code Sections 11126(d)(2) and 11126(e)(2)(C)(i), and pending litigation as provided under Government Code Section 11126(e). Additional items may be added to the closed session agenda pursuant to Gov. Code Section 11126.3(d). If in Closed Session the Commission votes to appoint, employ, or dismiss a public employee, the Commission will thereafter reconvene in Open Session to make the disclosures required by Government Code Sections 11125.2 and 11126.3(f).

#### **Closed Session - Applications for Rehearing**

Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing
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[11367]

Compilation of applications for rehearing recently filed with the Commission.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

# Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing 48 [11213]

#### R06-05-028

Disposition of applications for rehearing of Decision (D) 10-11-033 filed by The Utility Reform Network and, jointly, by Calaveras Telephone Company, Cal-Ore Telephone Co., Ducor Telephone Company, Forest Hill Telephone Co., Happy Valley Telephone Company, Hornitos Telephone Company, Kerman Telephone Company, Pinnacles Telephone Co., The Ponderosa Telephone Co., Sierra Telephone Company, Inc., The Siskiyou Telephone Company, Volcano Telephone Company, and Winterhaven Telephone Company. D10-11-033 adopted forward looking reforms to the California LifeLine Program. *Gov. Code* § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Agenda 3295, Item 52 6/7/2012

Closed Session - Applications for Rehearing (continued)

## Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing

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[11395]

#### R03-10-003

Disposition of Applications for Rehearing of Decision (D) 10-05-050 (or Decision) filed by Pacific Gas and Electric Company and the City and County of San Francisco (CCSF). The Decision resolved CCSF's petition to modify D05-12-041, which finalized procedures for implementing community choice aggregation (CCA) programs. The Decision modified D05-12-041: (1) to make clear that if utilities engage in untrue or misleading commercial speech concerning CCA service and the utility's competing service, they may be liable for penalties and subject to a temporary restraining order or preliminary injunction in a complaint before the Commission; and (2) to prohibit the utilities from offering alternative opt-out mechanisms from those identified in Resolution E-4250.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

Agenda 3296, Item 60 6/21/2012

## Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing

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[11420]

**C97-04-025**, C00-04-013, C06-12-031, A00-03-044, A03-02-027, A04-11-017, A06-01-015, A06-08-028 - Related matters.

Disposition of request to withdraw the application for rehearing of Decision (D) 12-03-026 filed by SFPP, L.P. In D12-03-026, the Commission granted limited rehearing of D11-05-045, modified D11-05-045 in part, and denied rehearing as to all other issues.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

## Item Conference with Legal Counsel - Application for Rehearing

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[11423]

#### R08-11-005

Disposition of applications for rehearing of Decision (D) 12-01-032 filed by the California Municipal Utilities Association and Los Angeles Department of Water and Power. D12-01-032 adopts regulations to reduce fire hazards associated with overhead power lines and communication facilities.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

# **Closed Session - Initiation of Litigation - Non-Federal**

Consideration of possible Commission initiation of, or intervention in, litigation. Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(C)(i) and/or § 11126(d)(2), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

# **Closed Session - Threatened Litigation - Non-Federal**

Significant exposure to litigation

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session

**Closed Session - Existing Litigation - Non-Federal** 

# **Closed Session - Threatened Litigation - Federal**

Significant exposure to litigation in federal agency or court proceedings.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(B), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session

## **Closed Session - Initiation of Litigation - Federal**

Consideration of possible Commission initiation of, or intervention in, federal agency or court proceedings.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(C)(i), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

## **Closed Session - Federal**

## Closed Session - FERC Docket No. EL00-95-000, et al.

Conference with Legal Counsel - Existing Litigation; San Diego Gas & Electric Co., FERC Docket No. EL00-95, Investigation of Practices of the California Independent System Operator and the California Power Exchange, FERC Docket EL00-98, and related dockets, CPUC v. FERC, Ninth Circuit Nos. 01-71051, et al., and 01-71934, et al., and related dockets.

Gov. Code § 11126(e)(2)(A), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session.

#### **Closed Session - Personnel Matters**

Consideration of appointment, employment, evaluation of performance, or dismissal of a public employee or to hear complaints or charges brought against that employee by another person or employee.

Gov. Code § 11126(a), allows this item to be considered in Closed Session

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